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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES. DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.

INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE

U.S.APPLICATION NO. (2 known, see 37 C.F.R.LS)

PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED

ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER

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September 16, 2000

September 22, 1999

PCT/EP00/09067

TITLE OF INVENTION

FINAL DRIVE FOR DRIVING A VEHICLE WHEEL

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US

Max BACHMANN

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- 1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 2.

 This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 3. This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
- 4. A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
- 5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a.
 is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. In has been transmitted by the International Bureau. (PCT/IB/308 mailed 29 March 2001).
 - c.

 is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US)
- 6. A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) is attached.
- 7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - a.

 are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. \square have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. I have not been made and will not be made.
- 8. □ A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
- 9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- 10.

 A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included:

- 11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98 with PTO FORM 1449.
- 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- A FIRST preliminary amendment w/Marked-Up Version of Amended Specification.
 - ☐ A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
- 14. □ A substitute specification.
- 15. ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
- 16. Other items or information:
 - Preliminary Examination Report
 - Annexes to Pre. Ex. Rep.
 - International Search Report
 - German Novelty Search Report
 - 8 copies of citations
 - Form PCT/IB/308

- Copy of Request
 - Submission of Formal Drawings
 - 2 sheets of formal drawings
- Abstract
- German Language Specification

■ International Publ. No. WO 01/21427 A1 (Face page only)

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

I hereby certify that this Transmittal Letter and the papers indicated as being transmitted therewith is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date March 14, 2002 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label Number <u>EL 918840040 US</u> addressed to the: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Anthony G. M. Davis

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International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482)	17. □ The following fees are submitted:				LULATIONS	PTO USE ONLY	
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SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Enclosed please find two (2) sheets of formal drawings which are to be entered in this case.

In the event that there are any fee deficiencies or additional fees are payable, please charge the same or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account (Account No. 04-0213).

Respectfully submitted

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